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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)
Hiroshi INOUE, ET AL) : Examiner: M. Cheung
Application No.: 09/761,719) : Group Art Unit: 3621
Filed: January 18, 2001) :
For: DIGITAL CONTENTS DISTRIBUTION) February 9, 2006
SYSTEM, DIGITAL CONTENTS :
DISTRIBUTION METHOD, ROAMING)
SERVER, INFORMATION :
PROCESSOR, AND INFORMATION)
PROCESSING METHOD :

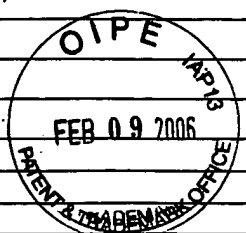
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27		Application Number	09/761,719
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
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<u>Fee Description</u>						<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent						50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
<u>Total Claims</u>		<u>Extra Claims</u>		<u>Fee (\$)</u>		<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	
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